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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	0
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

## 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

## Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
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Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200	100
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Multiple dependent claims

360	180
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Application No. 09/517,364  
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PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS

Applicant: B. Scott Fabre Group Art Unit: 2154  
Serial No.: 09/517,364 Examiner: Donaghue, Larry D.  
Filed: March 2, 2000 Docket No: SLA0153:FCO  
Title: Method and Apparatus for Reducing First Copy Out Times Using  
Uniqueness Identifiers

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the September 9, 2005 Office action, please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2  
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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.